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TAGS: EMAE, TECH, PFOR, US, IN

SUBJECT: EXPORT OF HEAVY WATER EQUIPMENT TO INDIA

REF: NEW DELHI 16607

1. DEPARTMENT APPRECIATES EMBASSY'S VIEWS ON BORSIG CASE.
TECHNICAL AND OTHER DATA REQUESTED PARA 5 REFTEL ARE BEING
SENT BY SEPTELS. IN ADDITION, WE WANT TO ASSURE YOU THAT
WE ARE VERY MUCH AWARE OF CONSIDERATIONS MENTIONED PARA 1

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OF REFTEL. CLEARLY WE DO NOT WANT TO WEAKEN GOODWILL TO

EXTENT IT HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED IN INDIAN NUCLEAR ESTABLISHMENT. WE WISH TO UNDERLINE, HOWEVER, THAT THIS CASE DOES NOT INVOLVE A "MINOR QUESTION." ISSUE RELATES TO AN INTERPRETATION OF LONDON SUPPLIERS GUIDELINES, A KEY STEP TOWARD MORE UNIFORM AND EFFECTIVE MULTILATERAL NUCLEAR EXPORT CONTROLS. SIZE OF KOTLA PLANT MAKES PURSUIT OF CONTROLS ON THESE COMPRESSORS WORTHWHILE. FURTHERMORE, U.S. WOULD MAKE DECISION ON WHETHER COMPRESSORS AND RELATED HEAVY WATER EQUIPMENT FALL WITHIN GUIDELINES ONLY IN CONSULTATION WITH OTHER INTERESTED SUPPLIERS. WE WILL MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO ENSURE THAT WE DO NOT TAKE THE HEAT ON THIS CASE.

2. WE WOULD WELCOME YOUR FURTHER THOUGHTS AFTER YOU HAVE READ SEPTELS RESPONDING TO BONN 19812 AND US BERLIN 2443. KISSINGER

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